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Admiral Stansfield Turner, USN



Dear Stan:

This is with further respect to your letter of 23 May requesting access to the classified files which you compiled during your tenure as DCI. I understand that you are particularly interested in any documents in these files relating to the Iranian hostage crisis.

Our Executive Registry has your files and we will be pleased to make arrangements for your access to them. As you may be aware, such access is controlled by the provisions of Executive Order 12356 and CIA Headquarters Regulation [redacted] which provide for a discretionary waiver of the "need to know" requirement given a valid secrecy and prepublication agreement. Please contact [redacted] our Deputy Executive Secretary, on [redacted] to make arrangements for your review.

Please extend my best to your family and I trust that the data I provided previously was of assistance to you at the naval conference in Oslo.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in cursive script, appearing to read "Bill", which is the signature of William H. Webster.

William H. Webster
Director of Central Intelligence

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